



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<u>In Group Art Unit 2859</u>	<u>Examiner: Travis M. Reis</u>
Applicant:	Ronald T. Butler
Serial No.:	10/729,289
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For:	<b>GAUGING APPARATUS AND METHOD</b>

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2005  
please amend the above-identified application as  
follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.